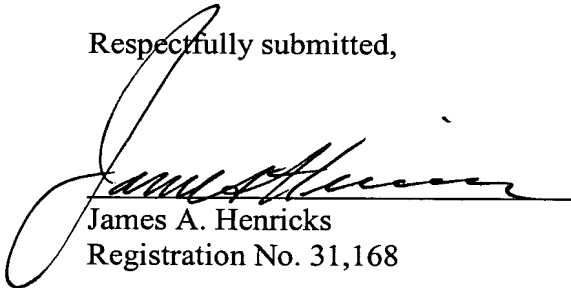


REMARKS

Please consider the claims and the rest of the application in view of the foregoing amendments and remarks. Early notice of allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

Please charge any additional fee that may be due or credit any overpayment to our deposit Account No. 50-0655. A duplicate copy of this pleading is enclosed.

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